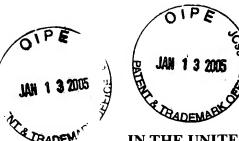
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In re Application of:)	Confirmation No.: 9097
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

In regard to the above identified application, we are transmitting herewith the attached:

- 1. Petition for Extension of Time
- 2. Fee Transmittal for FY2005 (in duplicate)
- 3. Amendment and Response to Office Action, and
- 4. Return postcard.

With respect to additional fees, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the total additional fee of \$450.00, and any additional fees or credit overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

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